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Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

PECEIVED TO 1200 The applicant herewith petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated 10/03/01 for 1 month from 01/03/02 to 02/04/02. Submitted herewith is a check for \$55.00 to cover the cost of the extension.

Respectfully submitted,

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